



As all the principal routes letters can be carried at a profit for two cents; and it is unjust to charge upon the letters on these routes the expense of unproductive routes. It is the general interest that the unproductive routes be discontinued, and the general revenue put until the whole subject itself.

It is a fact worth noting, that there are routes now in operation, the expenses of which exceed the receipts by \$762,889, and which are equal to the possible temporary deficit of the present plan. This deficit is now charged on letter writers, who pay generally twenty-five cents each. It is not for better that should the deficit should, for a time, be taken off the letter writers, and the rest of the general revenue, and the benefits of the post-office brought within the easy reach of every man and woman, however poor, in the whole land?

### THE TREASURY.

The annual report of the Secretary of the Treasury is published. It is a very long, lumbering document, the whole information of which could be contained in a few paragraphs; and the rest is spun out into dissertations upon the means of maintaining the public credit, which is already so high that the government cannot purchase its own stocks, and upon the proper adjustment of the tariff, on which the Treasury has no voice at the present session, i. e., during his administration. The following are some of the statistics presented:

1. Debt of the U. S., July 1, 1844 —	
Debt of old debt	\$9,626,866
Debt of district cities assumed by U. S.	1,360,000
United States	
Treasury notes outstanding, 1837 —	2,926,607
— 1843	2,921,004
New debt bonds of 1841-1843	
Total debt,	\$24,746,188
2. Debts paid during the year: —	
Treasury notes redeemed, and interest	\$3,326,584
Stocks purchased,	550,560
Interest thus saved yearly,	4,011
3. History of the debts of the U. S. —	
Debt of original debt, prior to the constitution,	15,416,476
Debt to foreign creditors, Jan. 1, 1844	75,656,712
do domestic do	20,012,992

Total debt,	27,775,818
Population of U. S. 1790,	3,977,828
Do 1800,	5,292,264
Population of U. S. in 1800	5,292,264
Do 1810,	5,537,317
Population of U. S. in 1810	5,537,317
Do 1820,	7,242,700
Population of U. S. in 1820	7,242,700
Do 1830,	12,623,000
Population of U. S. in 1830	12,623,000
Do 1840,	15,769,000
Population of U. S. in 1840	15,769,000

Treasury notes, 36,679,734 —	107,150,003
Do 1846	107,150,003
Do 1850	107,150,003
Population of U. S. in 1850	10,628,131
Do 1860	15,231,000
Population of U. S. in 1860	15,231,000
Do 1870	15,769,000
Population of U. S. in 1870	15,769,000
Do 1880	15,769,000
Population of U. S. in 1880	15,769,000
Do 1890	15,769,000
Population of U. S. in 1890	15,769,000
Do 1900	15,769,000
Population of U. S. in 1900	15,769,000

Estimated present pop.	19,700,000
Estimated pop. in 1894	70,000,000
4. Present Debts of the U. S. —	
Debt of 1844, 1.2 per cent. due Jan. 1, 1845,	\$6,679,679
Loan of 1848, 6 per cent. due Jan. 1, 1849,	\$3,348,827
Interest due yearly, 1845-1853	\$50,844
Do 1853-1858	\$50,623
Total interest due, 1845-1858	\$1,015,467
Do 1858-1863	1,410,515
Making, together, for interest	\$1,997,773
Debt of 1844, 1.2 per cent. due Jan. 1, 1845,	\$6,679,679
Do 1848, 6 per cent. due Jan. 1, 1849,	\$3,348,827
Do 1853, after discharging loan due that year, and paying all interest to 1858,	\$50,000,000
Do 1863, after paying whole debt 112,000,000	

5. Receipts and Expenditures year ending June 30, 1844:	
Receipts —	
Lands,	\$3,063,570
Miscellaneous,	301,907
Balance on hand July 1, 1843,	\$1,431,507
Total,	49,817,807
Expenditures for the year,	\$35,825,827
6. Receipts and Expenditures year ending June 30, 1845:	
Receipts —	
Quarters, returned by collectors,	10,873,718
Quarters, estimated,	1,071,900
Total from Customs,	31,945,618
Lands,	3,109,566
Miscellaneous,	180,000
Total receipts,	35,235,184
Balance on hand July 1, 1844,	\$1,431,507

Total receipts,	\$36,666,691
Expenditures estimated, 1844	\$35,825,827
7. Receipts and Expenditures, year ending June 30, 1846:	
Receipts, estimated, customs,	\$30,000,302
Land sales,	2,000,000
Miscellaneous,	200,000
Total receipts,	\$32,200,302
Balance, est., on hand,	\$3,466,389
Total means,	\$35,666,691
Expenditures, estimated,	\$35,825,827

8. Imports, Exports, and Duties, year ending June 30, 1844: —	
Imports, free of duty,	\$24,765,002
Do. charged with duty,	\$5,635,002
Total imports,	\$30,400,004
Exports, Domestic products,	\$10,184,477
Foreign products,	\$10,184,477
Total exports,	\$20,368,954
Gross revenue from customs,	\$10,184,477
Net do. paid into Treasury	\$10,184,477

Penalons,	\$9,215,527	
Natal establishment,	1,040,000	
	9,411,656	
Total,	\$9,417,884	
Excess of estimates above those of the preceding year :-		
War department,	\$1,016,445	
Naval department,	571,648	
	\$2,434,099	
Excess of estimates above appropriations of preceding year :-		
War department,	\$8,368,398	
Naval department,	3,559,192	
	\$9,454,521	

and, therefore, you may not vote for one bad man—a murderer—to keep out another bad man, though even a worse one. It is to do evil, that good may come; and if you do do evil, the apostle declares, your damnation is just.

What must we do, then, in these cases where the character of the candidates is such that it would be sinful to vote for either of them? I think neither, and therefore you will not be incited by such candidates for suffrage. Let those who



ridgewock, Eliza Lambert, aged 82.  
ridgewock, William Spaulding, Esq., in the

such is amply justified by the above complaints and wishes for a certain and safe remedy, devoid of quackery or humbug, let him call on the proprietor or his general agent, the most convincing testimony from restored and individuals. The Health Restorative itself, after the single bottle, will afford practical evidence of its unusual virtues. Severe cases of diseased Lungs and Chest soon cured entirely after the use of only a half dozen bottles.

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ORRIN EMERSON

Lowell, Dec. 15, 1844. 20

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